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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing (surcharge 37 CFR 1.16 (e) required)		COMPLETE IF KNOWN
OR		Application Number 10/523,081
		Filing Date February 2, 2005
		Art Unit
		Examiner Name Not Yet Assigned

**I hereby declare that:**

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe that the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**METAL CLUSTER NANO-COMPOUNDS FOR TREATING TUMOR DISEASES**

(Title of the Invention)

The specification of which

☐ is attached hereto  
OR

☒ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) February 2, 2005 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number 10/523,081 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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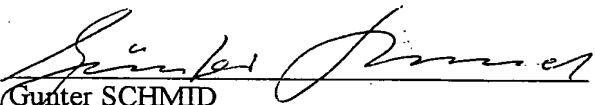
WHEREAS, Gunter SCHMID of Klippe 39 b, 42555 Velbert, Germany, Hubert Kuhn of Dusseldorfer Strasse 79, 42697 Solingen, Germany, and Maria Tsoli, Meistersingerstrasse 48 b, 45307 Essen, Germany, hereinafter referred to as Assignor, has made a new and useful invention in METAL CLUSTER NANO-COMPOUNDS FOR TREATING TUMOR DISEASES, for which Assignor has made or will make application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Universitat Duisburg-Essen, hereinafter referred to as Assignee, a not-for-profit corporation of Germany having a principal place of business at Universitätsstrasse 2, 45141 Essen, Germany desires to acquire all of the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under said invention disclosed, described and claimed or intended so to be in said application, and in, to and under said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent, United States and foreign, which may be obtained therefor and thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good, valuable and sufficient considerations to Assignor in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, all of the entire right, title, and interest in, to and under said invention disclosed, described and claimed or intended so to be in said application, and in, to and under said application for United States Letters Patent executed by Assignor this 5<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2005, and any and all other applications thereon and arising therefrom, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and any and all patents to be issued and obtained therefor and thereon, United States and foreign, including all reissues and extensions thereof.

Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the firm of Woodard, Emhardt, Moriarty, McNett & Henry LLP of Bank One Center Tower, 111 Monument Circle, Suite 3700, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-5137 to insert here in parentheses (Serial No. 10/523,081 Filed February 2, 2005) the date and serial number of said application when officially known, and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner for Patents to issue said Letters Patent to Assignee, its assigns and legal representatives.

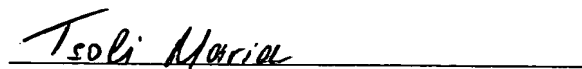
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